

SENATE BILL 267

By Harper

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, to authorize the issuance of new specialty earmarked license plates for the Music City Inc. Foundation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c)(7), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() Music City Inc. Foundation;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

(a) An owner or lessee of a motor vehicle who is a resident of Tennessee, upon complying with state motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor vehicle and the fee provided for in § 55-4-203, shall be issued a Music City Inc. Foundation new specialty earmarked license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by § 55-4-210(c).

(b) The new specialty earmarked license plates provided for in this section shall contain the trademarked Nashville logo and the language "visitmusiccity.com" referencing the organization's web site.

(c) The funds produced from the sale of Music City Inc. Foundation new specialty earmarked license plates shall be allocated to the Music City Inc. Foundation in accordance with § 55-4-215. Such funds shall be used by the Music City Inc. Foundation to further the organization's purpose of maximizing the hospitality industry's economic contribution to the community and further strengthen the Music City brand.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.